

**REMARKS**

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed 2 December 2005, Applicant elects claims 1-25 (Group I). Applicant respectfully withdraws claims 26-51 (Group II) without prejudice or disclaimer, and reserves the right to reintroduce claims 26-51 for reconsideration in this application upon the allowance of a linking claim or to reintroduce them in one or more divisional applications at a later date. Applicant respectfully cancels claims 52-78 (Groups III - VI) without prejudice, and reserves the right to reintroduce claims 52-78 in one or more divisional applications at a later date.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

**CONCLUSION**

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 371-2157 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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